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Applicant(s) : Fangrow, Jr. et al.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with twenty-two (22) references.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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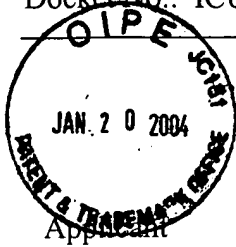
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing twenty-two (22) references that are also enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with an RCE or within three months of the filing date of this application and no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1), (b)(2), or (b)(4).

Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
	1 ✓	4,723,947	02/09/88	Konopka			
	2 ✓	5,257,980	11/02/93	Van Antwert et al.			
	3 ✓	5,545,143	08/13/96	Fischell			
	4 ✓	5,851,197	12/22/98	Marano et al.			
	5 ✓	5,858,005	01/12/99	Kriesel			
	6 ✓	5,968,011	10/19/99	Larsen et al.			
	7 ✓	6,017,328	01/25/00	Fischell et al.			
	8 ✓	6,056,718	05/02/00	Funderburk et al.			
	9 ✓	6,355,021	03/12/02	Nielsen et al.			
	10 ✓	2002/0045867	04/18/02	Nielsen et al.			
	11 ✓	6,475,196	11/05/02	Vachon			
	12 ✓	6,579,267	06/17/03	Lynch et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
	13 ✓	WO 98/58693	12/30/98	PCT				
	14 ✓	WO 02/070037 A2	09/12/02	PCT				
	15 ✓	WO 02/081012 A2	10/17/02	PCT				
	16 ✓	WO 02/081012 A3	10/17/02	PCT				
	17 ✓	WO 02/083206 A2	10/24/02	PCT				
	18 ✓	WO 02/083206 A3	10/24/02	PCT				
	19 ✓	WO 02/094352 A2	11/28/02	PCT				
	20 ✓	WO 03/022348 A1	03/20/03	PCT				
	21 ✓	WO 03/026728 A1	04/03/03	PCT				
	22 ✓	WO 03/068305 A1	08/21/03	PCT				

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EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
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